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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated September 16, 2005, please amend the abovenoted patent application as set forth in this paper.

Also enclosed in response to the Office Action is a *Declaration Under 37 CFR §1.131* of Jeffrey A. Lee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the complete listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.